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Amendments to the Claims:

1-24. (Canceled).

25. (Currently Amended) A computer-readable recording medium encoded with a computer program that performs a method of using a remotely located map service server, the method comprising:

obtaining data from a camera removably connected to a computer platform, the obtained data indicating geographic coordinates associated with each of a plurality of pictures taken by the camera;

transmitting the geographic coordinates associated with each of the plurality of pictures to the requesting from a remotely located map service server to request a municipality name corresponding to the geographic coordinates associated with each of the plurality of pictures, the remotely located map service server including data that indicates whether a landmark is observable by a person from specific geographic coordinates; and

if the transmitted geographic coordinates associated with at least one of the plurality of pictures are determined to be coordinates from which the landmark is observable via a person's view based on the data included in the remotely located map service server, receiving, from the remotely located map service server, data indicating a name of the landmark.

26. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 25 wherein the camera is removably connected to the computer platform with a USB cable.

27. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 25 wherein the camera is removably connected to the computer platform with a wireless connection.

28-30. (Canceled).

31. (Currently Amended) A method of using a remotely located map service server ~~computer-readable recording medium encoded with a computer program that performs a method~~, the method comprising:

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obtaining data from a camera removably connected to a computer platform, the obtained data indicating geographic coordinates associated with a picture taken by the camera;

transmitting the geographic coordinates associated with the picture to the requesting
~~from a~~ remotely located map service server to request a municipality name corresponding to the geographic coordinates associated with the picture, the remotely located map service server including data that indicates whether a landmark is observable by a person from said geographic coordinates; and

if the transmitted geographic coordinates associated with the picture are determined to be coordinates from which the landmark is observable via a person's view based on the data included in the remotely located map service server, receiving, from the remotely located map service server, data indicating a name of the landmark.

32. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 31, further comprising:
adding the name of the landmark to the picture.

33. (Previously Presented) The method of Claim 31, further comprising:
adding the name of the landmark and the municipality name to the picture.

34. (New) The method of Claim 31 wherein the camera is removably connected to the computer platform with a USB cable.

35. (New) The method of Claim 31 wherein the camera is removably connected to the computer platform with a wireless connection.

36. (New) The method of Claim 25, further comprising:
adding the name of the landmark to the at least one of the plurality of pictures.

37. (New) The method of Claim 25, further comprising:
adding the name of the landmark and the municipality name to the at least one of the plurality of pictures.